

GERMANS THROWN BACK BY CANADIANS

Princess Patricia's Regiment Delivers Brilliant Attack Along Canal to Bethune.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—The "Princess Patricia's" Canada's crack regiment, bore the brunt of another furious German charge west of La Bassée, according to dispatches from the front today. The Canadians fought bravely, hurling the enemy back with severe losses. Then they counter-attacked and captured a position along the canal to Bethune, which was occupied by the Germans in last week's fighting.

Renewal of the bloody infantry engagements between La Bassée and Bethune and violent cannonading of the Belgian positions near Ypres were the principal features in today's dispatches from the front. These advances said that the Germans were beaten off in an infantry attack near Ypres at day light yesterday, are now shelling the Belgian trenches. Another series of infantry charges is anticipated.

French shells set fire to a German supply depot near Ypres. Along the Aisne the French gunners alienated the ear of the enemy's batteries and effectively broke up sporadic infantry charges.

Slight progress has been made in the Perthes region. Elsewhere there was a lull in the fighting during the last twenty-four hours.

German Attempt to Cut Path to Warsaw Fails

PETROGRAD, Feb. 2.—Important victories both in Poland and in the Carpathians are claimed in the official statement from the war office today. The Germans have lost 6,000 in killed and many more wounded and taken prisoners in attacks west of Warsaw, it is stated.

In three days' fighting in the Carpathians, the Russians have taken 4,483 prisoners. The fighting along the Bzura, west of Warsaw, has cost the Germans heavy losses, it is said. General Von Mackensen hurled six regiments against the Russian positions south-west of Sochaczew, but they were repulsed for four days. His object was to cut a path toward Warsaw that would cause an abandonment of the Russian campaign toward Thorn and Koenigsberg.

Gaps Torn in German Lines

Heavy artillery tore great gaps in the German lines. While the infantry was engaged, a force of German sappers tunneled their way nearly 100 yards to the first line of Russian trenches. By chance, a Russian officer discovered the mouth of the tunnel and a little group of Germans came pouring out. They were made prisoners. Two machine guns were rushed to the mouth of the tunnel and a company of Germans was slaughtered underground.

By weight of numbers the Germans forced the czar's army at this point to retire from their first line of trenches and followed up this advantage by shelling the Russians out of their second line positions. Re-enforcements being brought up, the Germans were forced to evacuate the captured positions, with the exception of 100 yards of trench on the Russian right.

Russians 30 Miles From Thorn

On the right bank of the Vistula, the Russian right continued its successful advance toward the Prussian frontier. Near Biezan, on the Wkra river, a Cossack charge drove back a regiment of German infantry and captured a position only ten miles from the Prussian frontier.

The Russian left, now thirty miles from the German fortress of Thorn, beat back a German drive along the line from Lipno to Dobrzyn. The Germans attacked directly, attempting to outflank the Russian left by inserting a wedge along the right bank of the Vistula.

In the Carpathians, the Austro-German forces have been unsuccessful in attempting to force their way northward to relieve Przemyśl. An Austrian army that penetrated the mountains south of Lutoviska, is being rolled back toward the Hungarian frontier.

The war office had no dispatches today bearing out a report from roundabout sources that the Austrians had been overwhelmed near Tarnow, sixty miles east of Cracow. The report was not credited in official circles.

Russian Pillage Towns, Bucharest Paper Charges

BERLIN (via wireless to Sayville), Feb. 2.—The government press bureau today asserted that the Bucharest paper Lupta complains bitterly of the acts of Russian troops who entered Bukovina. The Lupta, according to the press bureau, charged that the Russians pillaged villages.

Germans Make Slight Gains Along the Bzura

BERLIN (via wireless to London), Feb. 2.—Slight gains have been made by the Germans attacking the Russian lines along the Bzura west of Warsaw, official dispatches stated today. North of the Vistula there have been skirmishes between Russian Cossacks and German outposts southeast of Lipno and also near Biezan, northwest of Elciep.

THE WEATHER REPORT.

The forecast for the District of Columbia—Cloudy, with probably rain to-night and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

Maryland—Cloudy, with probably rain tonight and Wednesday; fresh easterly winds.

Virginia—Cloudy, with probably rain tonight and Wednesday; colder in west and south portion tonight; fresh south-east winds.

TEMPERATURE. The temperature today as registered at the United States Weather Bureau and Affiliates:

U. S. BUREAU. APPLES. 42
8 a. m. 28 8 a. m. 42
9 a. m. 28 9 a. m. 42
10 a. m. 28 10 a. m. 42
11 a. m. 28 11 a. m. 42
12 noon 28 12 noon 42
1 p. m. 28 1 p. m. 42
2 p. m. 28 2 p. m. 42

TIDE TABLE. High tide—2:41 a. m. and 9:56 p. m. Low tide—3:52 a. m. and 4:08 p. m.

SUN TABLE. Sun rises—7:04 a. m. Sun sets—5:24 p. m.

ENGLAND'S SCOUTS AIR RAID RUMOR

LONDON, Feb. 2.—The war office today took no official notice of wild rumors that German aeroplanes were seen over Dover and east of London last night. Dispatches from Dover said the story gained circulation because one of the fort guns fired across the bow of a steamer that entered the harbor at night unannounced.

HOHENZOLLERN GOLD SENT HERE, HE SAYS

U. S. Correspondent of London Express Charges Kaiser's Family With Buying Bonds.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Purchase by the German imperial family of large blocks of New York State bonds to preserve part of the Hohenzollern fortune in the event of a German disaster, is announced by the Daily Express today, a telegram from its New York correspondent, the Express says.

"Information reaches me from a semi-official source that the Hohenzollern family has made heavy purchases of New York State bonds issued last year for use if the Kaiser or his relatives are compelled to leave Germany."

Bonds For \$51,000,000. "These bonds are for \$51,000,000 and cover canal and highway improvements. They bear 4 per cent interest. The sale of the bonds was conducted by the State on the auction principle, on January 21, 1914. A syndicate formed by Kuhn, Loeb & Co., and William A. Read & Co., secured the entire issue, offering \$507 for each hundred dollar bond, and obtaining 466 competitors.

Since then, my informant understands, large blocks of these bonds, of unknown amounts, have been transferred to the Hohenzollerns. It is not known whether the transfer was made since the outbreak of war or whether the original bid was made, in reality, on behalf of the Hohenzollerns, who realized war was inevitable and thus prepared against personal financial disaster in advance.

Says Street Was Surprised

"It is a fact, however, that the surprise was expressed in Wall Street at the time when it was known the successful bid was so high. The inference was that a client already had been found prepared to take the bonds of the syndicate's hands at a profit."

"The fact that the transfer to the Hohenzollerns could be made matter of private bookkeeping has required no large open market purchases, and thus the attention has been called to the imperial investment."

SIX GERMAN AEROS RAID FRENCH TOWNS

(Continued from First Page.) German tossed several bombs at a large factory, but their aim was poor and little damage was done. A crippled engine compelled one of the raiders to descend in open square at Lamele, where he was taken prisoner by French soldiers.

Dispatches from Remiremont said only one aviator visited that town. One bomb crashed to earth at the door of a military hospital, but no damage was done.

The squadron of aeroplanes that paid the latest visit to Dunkirk dropped both explosive bombs and flaming torpedoes, according to advices from the sea-coast town. More than sixty bombs were dropped, but they did little damage.

Allies' aviators chased the Germans to the Belgian frontier.

Senate Committee Urges Freedom for Filipinos

Declaring that further delay on the promising the Filipinos independence when they are fitted for it in the judgment of the United States would result in a continuance of the present business depression in the islands, the Senate Philippine Committee this afternoon made a favorable report on the measure, strongly urging prompt action by the Senate. The House has already passed the bill.

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"PLUCKING BOARD" DOOMED IN HOUSE

Legislation Made Privileged to Abolish Body and Authorize Reinstatement of Officers.

General condemnation of the "plucking board" of the navy on the floor of the House today resulted in the adoption of a rule making privileged legislation abolishing that body and giving the president power to reinstate in the service at least a dozen officers removed through this channel. Among these officers are Captain Gibbons, formerly superintendent of the Naval Academy; Capt. Templem M. Potts, Commander U. S. Capital, Leonard, Commodore Veeder, and Colonel Perkins, of the Marine Corps.

Condemning the "awful chair administration" of the navy in no uncertain terms, Representative Madden of Illinois attacked the plucking board, declaring: "Those fellows who sit around in easy chairs have a cotter of their own and if other fellows get in their way the plucking board moves them out."

"That the plucking board has always been a source for the gratification of personal revenge was the statement of Representative Howard of Georgia. "Talk about a mine being laid under a man causing uneasiness to his crew," he shouted, "if you want to know what a board meets next June, if it isn't abolished, there won't be a single officer left in the navy."

After forty minutes' discussion, during which time no one member of the plucking board was named, the vote was taken, and the provision abolishing the board was passed by a large majority.

CONGRESSMAN O. K. 'JIM CROW' MEASURE

House Committee Makes Favorable Report on Separate Compartments.

Predicting "a betterment of conditions between the white people and negroes in the District if this bill is enacted into law," a formal report on the Clark bill requiring transportation companies to provide separate compartments for white and colored passengers in the District was filed with the House today.

The report, prepared for the committee by Congressman Carson, says the committee recommends an amendment making passengers liable to punishment of conductors and motormen are given power to enforce the law. In part the report says: "The bill as amended provides that the compartments or sections to be occupied by the different races should be designated and the members of each race confined to the section set apart for its accommodation. This could be done, but little if any expense in its enforcement, and therefore for that reason the committee believes that it is all the more true by reason of the fact that the street cars in the District of Columbia have central entrances, and one end of the car to be occupied by the white people and one end by the negroes to be designated by signs."

"The committee has thought it wise to the extent of enforcing the provisions of this act it is not thought to be just to impose penalties upon the transportation companies for failure to comply with the provisions of this act without giving to their employees power to enforce its provisions."

"We confidently believe that if this bill is enacted into law its enforcement will result in the betterment of conditions between the white people and negroes in the District of Columbia, and will reduce to a minimum the friction which present conditions sometimes render serious."

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Winter Over According to Prophecy of Ground Hog

"Winter is over." That is the early weather report of Arctomys Monax, weather prophet extraordinary, commonly known as the ground hog.

This unpaid, but much honored, prophet poked his nose forth this morning, took a good look around, and gave the weather report. He failed to see his shadow and emerged from his hole to go back no more. Hence the backbones of winter is broken, according to the experts.

Weather Bureau experts are inclined to higher criticism in the business of ground hog prophecy. But many folk still pin their faith, on the basis of the form charts, to the perennial prophet's verdict.

But even admitting that the Government forecasters are a bit envious, professionally, at the prominence Arctomys Monax has gained, it must be admitted that there is one very serious defect in the ground hog's program—he doesn't keep any regular office hours or winter is broken, according to the experts.

Time Asked For Utility Companies

Commission Tells Congress Concerns Can't File Reports On Date Required.

Recommendation to Congress that public service corporations doing business in the District be granted a longer period in which to submit their annual reports, was made today by the Public Utilities Commission. This action is contemplated because of representations made to the commission by the companies involved, who, in various instances, have furnished affidavits that it was impossible for them to compile the figures in the time granted them.

The law now provides that public service corporations must submit to the Public Utilities Commission not later than February 1 a report for the calendar year ending the preceding December 31. In many instances this can only be done at an excessive cost and in other cases it is declared to be absolutely impossible.

It is anticipated that several of the thirteen companies which failed to file their reports as required by law will submit them within the next few days.

Twenty-six Indictments Returned by Grand Jury

Twenty-six indictments were returned by the grand jury to Chief Justice Cuyler in Criminal Court No. 1 today. Larceny from the United States, William Summers; housebreaking and larceny, Graham J. Stevenson, Frank Lancaster, Major Rankin, William H. Gross, James Reed and William Gross; robbery, Leonard Blackwell; assault with a dangerous weapon, Henry Turner, Sylvester Shields, Fielding Lawson, Abraham Jones, Amanda Lewis, Frank Shugrue, Richard Hughes, Charles Willis and Percy Fletcher; housebreaking, Richard Brooks, Arthur Payne, Roscoe C. Proctor, Alphonso Thomas, Alphonso Stewart and Charles Carter; grand larceny, Elenora Lewis, Ella Smith and Romeo Pierce, and non-support, Rudolph Wilk.

Von Kluck's Eldest Son Killed in Bombardment

LONDON, Feb. 2.—The Star's Copenhagen correspondent wired today that Gen. von Kluck's eldest son, Egon Davell, a lieutenant attached to the German marines, was killed at Middelkerke on the Belgian coast when that town was bombarded by British warships.

Kaiser Gives Iron Cross To Von Bernstorff's Son

BERLIN, Feb. 2.—Emperor William today personally conferred the Iron Cross, first class, on Dr. Gustave Krupp von Bohlen and Halbach, head of the Krupp iron works.

Count Gunter von Bernstorff, son of the German ambassador to the United States, has also been awarded the Iron Cross.

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CAPITAL CLOUDED FOR THREE MONTHS

Forecaster Sees No Let Up in Dreariness, With Rain Tonight and Tomorrow.

Washington's weather provider is laying down on the job. Instead of furnishing the cream of fair days, with a slight sting in the atmosphere to make one realize it's winter, the rainmakers have seemed to usurp the job and unloosed the skies over the District. For the past three months the city has lived under a cloud.

February has started out with the same dreary skies, promising no let-up from cloudy atmosphere and murky weather.

The forecast for tonight and tomorrow is rain with not much change in temperature, the Weather Bureau announced today. During November, December and January there more than a full month were clear days.

For almost half of the full period, rain fell or traces of precipitation has added to the disagreeableness. The only thing accompanying the weather during the past three months that should be mentioned with pride is the fact that several days have been sufficiently cold and clear to make ice skating enjoyable.

In addition to being a persistent repeater of gloomy days, the period has brought the greatest precipitation since 1882, when the past month totaled a downpour of 6.34 inches, whereas the same month in 1882 registered 7.09 inches. The greatest precipitation in any twenty-four hours was that of January 12 and 13, when the rainfall swelled the streams of the Eastern branch and other small waterways to such an extent that great damage was done in the suburbs. On only fourteen out of the thirty-one days during the past month has there failed to be either moderate rainfall or traces of precipitation.

For the first time since even this record, with a rainfall of 1.41 inches from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. yesterday and 83 from 8 o'clock last night to 8 a. m. today.

Yesterday marked a week of wet Mondays. Two Mondays during the past week were without precipitation, being sufficient to discourage the most energetic washerwoman to give up her occupation.

During November, December and January there were 41 cloudy days, 33 clear days, and 30 partly cloudy. The total rainfall during the period amounting to 12.85, with the snowfall registering 6.5. The highest temperature was 78 degrees on November 4, and the lowest depths the mercury fell was 2 above zero on December 27.

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GATHERS IN SURPLUS WEALTH FOR CITY USE

Cleveland Foundation's Father Explains What Community Philanthropy Is.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Another vitriolic attack on John D. Rockefeller and an explanation of a "community philanthropy" featured today's session of the Federal Commission on Industrial Relations.

The Rockefeller attack was by Edward P. Costigan, of Denver, attorney for the United Mine Workers of America. The community philanthropy was explained by F. H. Goff, president of the Cleveland Trust Company and the founder of the Cleveland Foundation.

"With a capital upward of \$30,000,000, Goff stated that the Cleveland Foundation is not as yet distributing its funds. "The Cleveland Foundation," he said, "for the day after tomorrow and not for today. It is trying to gather up for community purposes the surplus wealth which now goes to waste."

Four-Master in Distress Off New Jersey Coast

POINT PLEASANT, N. J., Feb. 2.—A four-master schooner is reported in distress off Manaloking, N. J.

In response to distress signals the rev. yacht "Chokick" has left for the scene. When last reported the schooner was dragging her anchor and the gale and drifting toward a reef.

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All sizes to 44; of wash materials, in plain colors, stripes, and checks.

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French-like flannel, Parisian and Oriental effects.

White Japanese Silk and Crepe de Chine Waists, 93c
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